

"Among other names listed on the National Council was the name of Charles S. Johnson of Fisk University. I recall that Johnson was interested in S.N.Y.C. and was considered on the National Council. The National Council did not have any meetings.

"I met Dr. Charles S. Johnson on one occasion at Birmingham when he brought the Fisk Jubilee Singers for a concert. I do not recall the date. I talked to Dr. Johnson upon this occasion but did not discuss the S.N.Y.C.

"I believe the names on the National Council were used as "bait" to secure other members for the S.N.Y.C. I did not know there were any Communists in the S.N.Y.C. until about 1948 when there were rumors in Birmingham that the S.N.Y.C. had some Communists as members and leaders.

"I believe that Dr. CHARLES S. JOHNSON is a loyal American citizen. I have never heard that he has been connected with the Communist Party at any time.

"I am willing to appear before an International Organizations Employees Loyalty Board.

"I have read the above statement and it is true.

(Signed)

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Witness:-

Special Agent FBI
Bham, Ala.

~~The above statement~~ is being maintained in the files of the Birmingham Office.

It is noted that advised when originally interviewed in 1951 that he did not know applicant personally. upon being reinterviewed September 21, 1955, advised he met applicant on one occasion in Birmingham. pointed out upon being reinterviewed that he did not actually know applicant personally, but met him at the time mentioned when applicant brought the Fisk University Jubilee Singers to Birmingham.

The Southern Negro Youth Congress has been cited by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order #10450.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Title: CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
Applicant
United Nations Educational, Scientific
and Cultural Organisation
Paris, France
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS
AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Report of: Special Agent Charles B. Stanbery

Date and Place: September 21, 1955
Birmingham, Alabama

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~~CONFIDENTIAL~~TO : Assistant Attorney General
William F. Tompkins

DATE: "

September 30, 1955

FROM : Director, FBI

Attention:
Records Administration Branch

SUBJECT:

**CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE
UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS - IR**b6
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Reference is made to this Bureau's memorandum dated September 21, 1955, furnishing copies of reports covering an investigation conducted concerning the captioned individual. These reports were furnished for information and consideration as to whether the evidence developed indicated a violation of any Federal law.

Enclosed herewith is a copy of this Bureau's letter of this date to the U. S. Civil Service Commission together with a copy of its enclosure containing further information regarding the captioned matter. This is being furnished to supplement the data previously forwarded to the Department in this case.

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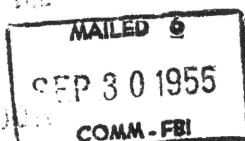
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BY COURIER SERVICE

Date: September 30, 1955

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Chief, Investigations Division
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Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
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Subject: CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE
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Reference is made to my letter dated September 21, 1955, which transmitted reports of investigation concerning captioned individual under the provisions of Executive Order 10422.

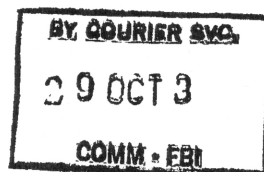
Additional information has been received which is set forth in the reports of Special Agents [redacted] at Birmingham, Alabama, dated September 21, 1955, and [redacted] at New York, New York, dated September 23, 1955. Three copies of each of these reports are enclosed.

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TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON Applicant United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Paris, France		CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: JOHNSON listed affiliations with the American Committee for Cultural Freedom, Inc., and the Council Against Intolerance in America. Information concerning these organizations set out.			
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REFERENCE: Buairtel to New York, 9/19/55.			
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September 23, 1955
New York, New York

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

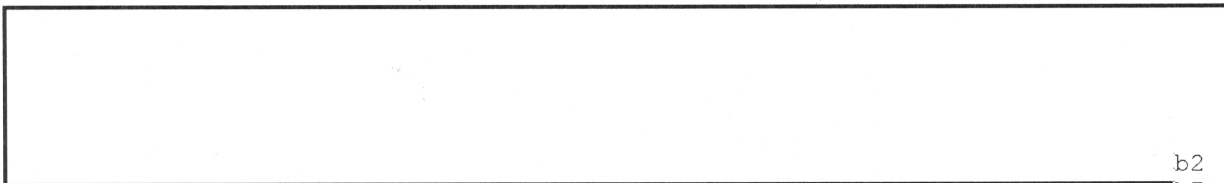
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Conservatives, Pacifists and Liberals. The person who seems to exert the most influence is [redacted] who is markedly pro-Communist. Subject cannot be considered a front organization....."

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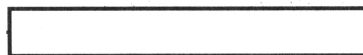
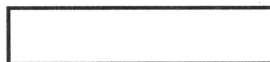
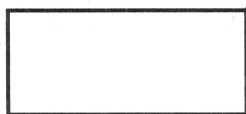
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

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Report of:

Special Agent

Date and Place: September 23, 1955
New York, New York

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (123-12551)

DATE: July 29, 1955

FROM : SAC, BOSTON (123-2925)

SUBJECT: CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
Special Inquiry - State Department,
Public Law 402, 80th Congress
VOICE OF AMERICA

For the completion of the Bureau's file in the captioned case, the following information is given concerning an individual who may be identical with Employee.

[redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, on July 19, 1955, gave to SA [redacted] an announcement of a dinner of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom to be held in Boston, May 18, 1955, in recognition of its 40th Anniversary. The Informant had received it by mail in May, 1955. This announcement is retained as an exhibit in Boston File 100-1430. The announcement contained a list of the 40th Anniversary Sponsors of the WILPF and one of the names was CHARLES S. JOHNSON. No further identifying data was given concerning this person and it is not known if he is identical with Employee.

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To: COMMUNICATIONS SECTION.

August 9, 1955

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Transmit the following message to:

SAC, Boston (123-2925)

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Charles Spurgeon Johnson, Applicant, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Paris, France, UN. Reference is made to your letter dated July 29, last advising that the name of one Charles S. Johnson appeared on a list of 40th Anniversary sponsors of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom to be held in Boston, May 18, last.

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In response to a UN loyalty form submitted by CSC, on captioned individual, the Bureau referred CSC on July 11, 1955, to prior reports concerning Johnson under VOA program.

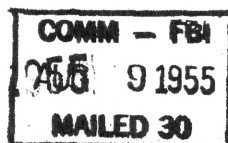
In view of CSC's current interest in Johnson, you should endeavor to determine whether the Charles S. Johnson on the above-mentioned list is identical to Charles Spurgeon Johnson. Thereafter, submit report under above caption including appropriate documentation of Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.

Handle within ten days.

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BY COURIER SERVICE

Date: August 26, 1955

To: Mr. Dennis A. Flinn
Director
Office of Security
Department of State
515 22nd Street, Northwest
Washington, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
Applicant
United Nations Educational, Scientific and
Cultural Organization
Paris, France
LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS
AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

This Bureau has initiated an investigation of the
captioned individual under the provisions of Executive Order
10422 at the specific request of the Civil Service Commission.

Johnson was investigated under Public Law 402 (Voice
of America) and reports of that investigation were furnished
to your Department by memorandum dated January 25, 1952. By
memorandum dated June 4, 1952, the Civil Service Commission
advised that Johnson was "eligible on loyalty."

The current investigation is intended to bring the
previous investigation up to date. RECORDED - 22 138-3218-5

The Identification and Personnel Data form of the
applicant lists his affiliation with the United States National
Commission for UNESCO (member, Executive Committee), the
address of which is given as "Department of State, Washington 25,
D. C." It is requested that this Bureau be advised whether
such affiliation falls within the purview of Executive Order
10450.

The above is for your information and should not be
disseminated to any unauthorized persons or agencies.

NOTE: In event State advised affiliation with United
States National Commission for UNESCO falls within
Executive Order 10450, field should be advised to
submit extra copies of report for dissemination
to CSC. Letter to field sent 8-29-55.

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U. S. Civil Service Commission
Washington 25, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director
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Paris, France
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(Your case serial number: (4)-24-55.758)

Returned herewith is the material which you made
available to this Bureau in requesting an investigation of
the captioned individual.

A full field investigation has been instituted,
the results of which will be furnished you upon completion.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (138-3218)

DATE: August 29, 1955

FROM : SAC, Savannah (140-0)

SUBJECT: CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON,
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No action indicated for Savannah Office in addition
to that previously submitted in report SA [redacted]
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CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, VOA, BuFile 123-12551.

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SAC, Memphis

September 6, 1955

Director, FBI (138-3218)

CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON
UNITED NATIONS

ReBulet 8-26-55 initiating full field investigation.
Refer also Los Angeles letter to Bureau 6-27-55 re, "World
Federation for Democratic Youth; IS - R, Registration Act,"
cc of which is designated for your office.

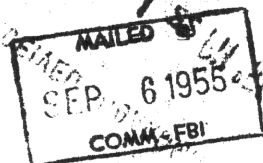
Enclosed are six Photostats of page 3 of the publication,
"Festival," referred to in referenced Los Angeles letter. In
the first column of the enclosure there is quoted a part of a
letter or statement attributed to "Charles S. Johnson,
Nashville University, USA." It is noted pertinent sources failed
to reflect the existence of a Nashville University. It is
also noted that the applicant is affiliated with Fisk University
at Nashville.

This data should be incorporated in your report and
the enclosures should be submitted as exhibits to your report.
(original of enclosure found in 100-185087-459 (enclosure)
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REPORT MADE AT ST. LOUIS, MO.	DATE WHEN MADE 9-9-55	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 9-1,6,7-55	REPORT MADE BY SE S&W
TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, Applicant, United Nations, Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Paris, France		CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS - IR	
<p>SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:</p> <p>Records FRC, GSA, SIMO, indicate CHARLES S. JOHNSON employed by National Recovery Administration. Terminated by reason of completion of work. Employed by Dept. of Labor; reason for termination not shown. Employed by Federal Security Agency; terminated by reason of completion of work. Employed by Dept. of Agriculture. Terminated by reason of completion of work. Employed by Dept. of Agriculture. Terminated due to completion of assignment. Employed by President's commission on Health needs of the Nation. Terminated by reason of expiration of appointment. No further information could be located at the FRC. Born 7-24-93 at Bristol, Va.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">- RUC -</p> <p>REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Memphis dated 8-26-55.</p>			
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LOYALTY OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND
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September 9, 1955
Saint Louis, Missouri

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION:

On September 7, 1955, a review of the personnel records, Federal Records Center, General Services Administration, for CHARLES S. JOHNSON indicates that he was employed as a Special Advisor with the National Recovery Administration, from April 9, 1935 to January 12, 1936 when actually employed. He was employed on April 20, 1935 as a Special Agent (One Dollar Per annum) with the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. This employment was terminated on October 31, 1935 as a Special Agent by reason of completion of assignment.

He was employed on March 1, 1939 as a Consultant (One Dollar Per annum) with the department of Labor, in the Childrens Bureau at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on February 29, 1940 as a consultant with no reason for termination shown.

He was employed on December 29, 1939 as a Senior Educationist with the Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment terminated on June 30, 1940 as a Senior Educationist, by reason of Completion of work.

He was employed on January 25, 1941 as an Agricultural Advisor, with the Department of Agriculture, Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on February 1, 1941 as an Agricultural advisor by reason of completion of work. He was employed on April 1, 1941 as a Collaborator with out compensation, with the Department of Agriculture, Farm Security Administration, at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on April 30, 1941 as a collaborator without compensation due to completion of assignment.

He was employed on December 29, 1951 as a commissioner with the President's commission on the Health Needs of the Nation, at Washington, D. C. This employment was terminated on December 28, 1952 as a Commissioner by reason of expiration of appointment. The date and place of birth were shown as July 24, 1893 at Bristol, Virginia.

No further information could be located in the files at the Federal Records Center.

The records at the Federal Records Center were reviewed by Investigative Clerk [REDACTED]

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Report of: Special Employee

Date and Place: September 9, 1955 at Saint Louis, Missouri

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He was employed on March 1, 1939 as a Consultant (One Dollar Per annum) with the department of Labor, in the Childrens Bureau at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on February 29, 1940 as a consultant with no reason for termination shown.

He was employed on December 29, 1939 as a Senior Educationist with the Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment terminated on June 30, 1940 as a Senior Educationist, by reason of Completion of work,

He was employed on January 25, 1941 as an Agricultural Advisor, with the Department of Agriculture, Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on February 1, 1941 as an Agricultural advisor by reason of completion of work. He was employed on April 1, 1941 as a Collaborator with out compensation, with the Department of Agriculture, Farm Security Administration, at Nashville, Tennessee. This employment was terminated on April 30, 1941 as a collaborator without compensation due to completion of assignment.

He was employed on December 29, 1951 as a commissioner with the President's commission on the Health Needs of the Nation, at Washington, D. C. This employment was terminated on December 28, 1952 as a Commissioner by reason of expiration of appointment. The date and place of birth were shown as July 24, 1893 at Bristol, Virginia.

No Further

No further information could be located in the files at the Federal
Records Center.

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SL verifying employment National Recovery Administration
4-9-35 to 1-12-36; Department of Commerce, 4-20-35 to 10-31-35;
Department of Labor, 3-1-39 to 2-29-40; Federal Security Agency
12-29-39 to 6-30-40; Department of Agriculture, Nashville, Tenn.,
1-25-41 to 2-1-41 and 4-1-41 to 4-30-41; and President's Commission
on the Health Needs of the Nation, 12-29-51 to 12-28-52.

On 9-7-55 a check of JOHNSON's Government employment
records at the Federal Records Center by Investigative Clerk []
[] revealed no additional records.

WFO attempt to locate and verify further Government employment.

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TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, Applicant United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Paris, France			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: No unfavorable credit information regarding [redacted] [redacted] or [redacted] [redacted] No criminal record located for [redacted] [redacted] or [redacted] One [redacted] [redacted]			
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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Memphis dated August 26, 1955.			
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September 9, 1955
Chicago, Illinois

III. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

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Miscellaneous

It is noted that the applicant listed [redacted]

The current Illinois Bell Telephone
Directory lists [redacted] at that address.

The files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Chicago, Illinois, contain no information identifiable with
the applicant's [redacted]
[redacted] or the applicant [redacted]

The files of [redacted] an agency which collects
security data in the Chicago area, on September 2, 1955,
reflected no information regarding [redacted]

Credit

The files of the Credit Bureau of Evanston,
Evanston, Illinois, on September 2, 1955, reflected no
unfavorable information regarding [redacted] or
[redacted]

The files of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated,
Chicago, Illinois, on September 1, 1955, reflected no infor-
mation regarding [redacted]

Criminal

The files of the Evanston Police Department,
Evanston, Illinois, as checked by [redacted] record
clerk, on September 2, 1955, reflected no record

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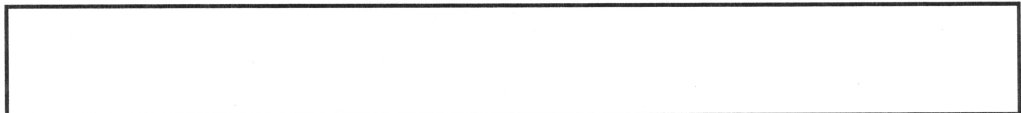
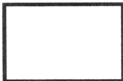
Credit and criminal at Evanston, Illinois, were caused to be checked by SA [] on September 2, 1955.

The Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated, was caused to be checked by SE [] on September 1, 1955.

The Chicago Police Department was caused to be checked by SE [] on September 2, 1955.

Reference is made to report of SA [] dated January 8, 1952, at Chicago entitled, "CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, Special Inquiry - State Department, Public Law 402, 80th Congress (Voice of America)," which covered investigation of the applicant up to the time of that report. Inasmuch as there is no evidence that the applicant has lived in Chicago since that time, no credit or criminal checks were made in the current investigation, on the applicant or his wife.

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for [redacted] The files reflected under
arrest number 5440 that one [redacted]
[redacted] age [redacted] was
arrested on November 18, 1948, on the charge, "no vehicle
inspection" and was discharged on November 22, 1948.

The files of the Chicago Police Department,
Chicago, Illinois, on September 2, 1955, reflected no
record identifiable with [redacted] These
files were checked by Patrolman [redacted]

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Report of: Special Agent

Date and Place: September 9, 1955
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FILE NO. **SECURITY SECTION**

REPORT MADE AT INDIANAPOLIS	DATE WHEN MADE 9/9/55	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 8/31/55	REPORT MADE BY :nlp
TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, Applicant, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Paris, France			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

advised organization known as "Fundamental Education" received national charter last year and has temporary headquarters in Indianapolis. States JOHNSON is member of Board of Consultants of this organization and that JOHNSON is a man of high character and loyal American citizen.

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter dated August 26, 1955.

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UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC
INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

September 9, 1955
Indianapolis, Indiana

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

[redacted] advised on August 31, 1955 that the organization known as "Fundamental Education" was organized in Indianapolis and received a national charter during 1954. He stated that the temporary headquarters for this organization was located in the offices of Flanner House at 333 West 16th Street. [redacted] stated that Dr. CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, who is President of Fisk University, Nashville, Tennessee, was a member of the Board of Consultants of "Fundamental Education".

[redacted] stated that he has known of Dr. JOHNSON for several years and has been personally acquainted with him for the past five years. He stated that Dr. JOHNSON was a man of ~~impeachable~~ ^{good} character and integrity, and was without a doubt a loyal American citizen. He stated that he would recommend Dr. JOHNSON without hesitation for a position of trust and confidence with the U. S. Government.

[redacted] stated that the organization "Fundamental Education" has been developed for the purpose of assisting persons of all classes and races in attaining a more fruitful and happier existence. He stated that this organization was not concerned with political philosophy.

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The records of the Indianapolis Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation contain no information concerning the organization known as "Fundamental Education".

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TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON Applicant, United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization, Paris, France			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

No credit or criminal record located for [redacted] applicant, [redacted] or [redacted] who reside in Philadelphia, Pa. Both are unknown to informants in Communist matters.

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September 9, 1955

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

III. RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

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At Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Credit and Criminal

The files of the Philadelphia Credit Bureau, Inc., were checked on September 1, 1955, by a clerk of the Credit Bureau who advised that the files contain no record concerning [redacted] or [redacted]
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[redacted]

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Miscellaneous

Informants who have supplied reliable information in the past who know many Communist Party members in the Philadelphia area and who are familiar with organizations in the Philadelphia area infiltrated by the Communist Party were contacted during the course of this investigation and advised that they do not know the applicant [redacted]
[redacted] and [redacted]

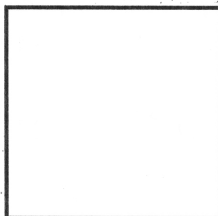
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Administrative Details

Credit and criminal checks were conducted by SE

Informants

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REPORT MADE AT BOSTON, MASS.	DATE WHEN MADE 9/12/55	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 9/8/55	REPORT MADE BY [redacted] mab
TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON Applicant United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization Paris, France		CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS	
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: [redacted] furnished information that one CHARLES S. JOHNSON was listed as a sponsor for a dinner of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom. - RUC - REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Memphis dated 8/26/55.			
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September 12, 1955
Boston, Massachusetts

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RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

[] who has furnished reliable information in the past, on July 19, 1955, made available information concerning an announcement of a dinner of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, which was held in Boston, Massachusetts, on May 18, 1955, in recognition of its Fortieth Anniversary. According to the information furnished by [] one CHARLES S. JOHNSON was listed as one of the Fortieth Anniversary sponsors of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.

[] advised he had no further information concerning this CHARLES S. JOHNSON and did not know if he were identical with the Applicant.

[] who has furnished reliable information in the past, on August 14, 1953, stated that at an Executive Board Meeting of the Minute Women for Peace, which was held on August 11, 1953, it was decided that the Minute Women for Peace would go quietly out of existence, particularly in view of its being considered for citation by the Attorney General of the United States as a subversive organization. It was stated that several of the members of the Minute Women for Peace had found niches in other organizations which they were attempting to infiltrate. In this connection [] stated that two members of the Minute Women for Peace had become associated with the non-Communist Women's International League for Peace and Freedom for the purpose of influencing its policies.

The Massachusetts Minute Women for Peace has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

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[] is [] contacted by SA [] on 7/19/55.

[] is [] contacted by SA [] on 8/14/53.

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Report of Special Agent [REDACTED]
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TITLE CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, Applicant, United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, Paris, France			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF THE EMPLOYEES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Indices of Mobile, Ala., FBI Office and criminal record checks at Tuskegee, Ala... produce no information concerning [REDACTED] not previously reported. There is no credit bureau in Macon County, Ala.

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Memphis dated 8/26/55.

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AND OTHER PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Mobile, Alabama
September 13, 1955

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

The indices of the Mobile Division of the FBI do not contain information identifiable with [redacted] except for information previously reported in the investigation entitled "CHARLES SPURGEON JOHNSON, SPECIAL INQUIRY - STATE DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC LAW 402, 80th CONGRESS, VOICE OF AMERICA."

AT TUSKEGEE, ALABAMA.

A search of the arrest records of the Tuskegee Police Department and of the criminal docket in the office of [redacted] Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Alabama, on September 6, 1955, failed to locate any record identifiable with [redacted] the applicant. [redacted] Macon County, advised on the same date that his office has no knowledge of any arrest of [redacted] [redacted] There is no credit bureau in Macon County, Alabama.

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Report of: Special Agent

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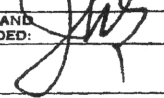
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Richmond informants, who have furnished reliable information in the past, advised the applicant [redacted] are unknown to them. No record of applicant [redacted] located Richmond Police Department. Richmond Credit Bureau records reflect no record of applicant but reflect excellent credit rating [redacted]. No record of the applicant, his mother or father located Credit Bureau and Police Department, Bristol, Virginia, or Washington County Trial Justice Court, Abingdon, Virginia. Files of the Richmond office contain no record identifiable with [redacted] or his parents.

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REFERENCE: Bureau letter to Memphis dated August 26, 1955.

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